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Kwangtung-Kiangsi-Hunan Border Column

Commander LIN Ping (林平)
Deputy Commander HUANG Sung-chien (黄松坚)

Political Commissioner
Director Political Department

Location: TSO Hung-tao (左洪涛)
In the general area of Kaotan (高潭) and Tengyun (登雲) boundary region of Haifeng (海豐) and Wuhua (五華).

Strength: 11,930
Equipment: 15 trench mortar
16 heavy machine guns
262 light machine guns
6,290 rifles
1,183 pistols
15 grenade dischargers

East River 1 Detachment (東江第一支隊)

Commander LAN Tsao (藍造)
Political Commissioner WANG Lu-ning (王魯明)

Vice Political Commissioner
Political Director

Location: HSI Feng (析峰)
In the vicinity of Tsokeng (佐坑), border of Haiyang (惠陽), and Truchin (紫金).

Strength: 50
Equipment: 1 light machine gun
10 rifles
20 pistols

1 Regiment

Commander LO Ju-cheng (羅汝澄)
Location: In the area of Haifeng, Hsintien (新田), Truchin (紫金), and Yangtoun (洋頭).

Strength: 300
Equipment: 2 trench mortar
9 light machine guns
145 rifles
25 pistols

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2 Regiment

Commander

LI Chun-fang (李群芳)

Location:

Sungkang (松坑), Pingshan (坪山), Lungkang (龍崗), of Huiyang.

Strength:

930

Equipment:

2 mortar

3 heavy machine guns

28 light machine guns

520 rifles

177 pistols

3 Regiment

Commanders

KUAN Wu (關武), and MAI Ting-tang (麥定唐)

Location:

Border region of Huiyang (惠陽), Tungkuan (東莞), and Paoan (寶安), around Yuehchang (約場), Tiehchang (鐵場), Lienhuashan (蓮花山).

Strength:

800

Equipment:

3 mortar

4 heavy machine guns

20 light machine guns

300 rifles

190 pistols

10 grenade dischargers

4 Regiment

Commander

KAO Ku (高國)

Location:

In the area of Huangchiang (黃志) in Haifeng, Kaotan (高潭) in Huiyang and Iyung (義容) of Tsuchin.

Strength:

470

Equipment:

1 heavy machine gun

21 light machine guns

280 rifles

75 pistols

2 grenade dischargers

5 Regiment

Commander

HUANG Yu (黃友)

Location:

Kaotzu (高澤) in Haifeng, and Chingtang (清塘), of Lufeng (陸豐).

Strength:

450

Equipment:

9 light machine guns

200 rifles

45 pistols

6 Regiment

Commander

WU Chiang (吳江)

Location:

Hotien (河田), Lufeng.

Strength:

400

Equipment:

12 light machine guns

200 rifles

50 pistols

7 Regiment

Commander

LO Ou-feng (羅歐風)

Location:

Kaotan (高潭), Tanyun (鹽雲), Tsuchin (紫金), Kaotzu (炮子), Huangou (黃布), Shihkeng (時坑), Shentien (慎田), Yangtouhsu (洋頭圩).

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8 Regiment

Commander

WEN Han-kuang (溫漢光)

Location:

Chilung (吉隆), Baiyunshih (白雲市),
of Huiyang and Chihshih (赤石), Opu
(鵝華) of Haifeng.

Strength:

300

Equipment:

5 light machine guns
100 rifles
10 pistols**East River 2 Detachment**

Commander

CHENG Chun (鄭群)

Political Commissioner

CHUNG Chun-hsien (鍾俊賢)

Political Director

HUANG Chung-chiang (黃中強)

Location:

Changchichai (樟溪), Chuantang (船塘),
in Hoyuan (河源).**The Independent Battalion (獨立營)**

Commander

YEN Chin (閻進)

Location:

Follow the movement of headquarters

Strength:

200

Equipment:

6 light machine guns
140 rifles

Commander

OU Yang-wu (歐陽樞)

Location:

Follow the movement of headquarters

Strength:

200

Equipment:

1 light machine gun
150 rifles

Commander

HUANG Jui (黃銳)

Location:

In the area of Liten (李田), Kueilinhsiang
(桂林鄉) of Hoyuanhoping (河源和平) border.

Strength:

200

Equipment:

2 light machine guns
80 rifles
10 pistols**River-Defense Independent Battalion (江防獨立營)**

Commander

TSOU Chien (鄒建)

Location:

Area of Tsengtian (曾田) and Shatsun (沙村)
in Hoyuan

Strength:

300

Equipment:

5 light machine guns
200 rifles
17 pistols
1 grenade discharger**Special Service Battalion (特務大隊)**

Commander

LI Liang (李良) and CHEN Kuo (陳果)

Location:

Kuchu (古竹) and Liakeng (廖坑) in
Tzuchin (紫雲).

Strength:

400

Equipment:

1 heavy machine gun
8 light machine guns
270 rifles**1 Regiment**

Commander

LIN Ching-chiu (林鏡秋)

Location:

Peitun (貝墩), Lungchuan (龍川), Huangshih
(黃石), in Hoping.

Strength:

500

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Equipment: 1 mortar
1 heavy machine gun
5 light machine guns
250 rifles
30 pistols

2 Regiment
Commander LUNG Chin-shan (龍景山)
Location: In the area of Tsenchai (岑溪) in Moyuan and Mengtzu (橫澤) in Ksinfeng (新豐).
Strength: 350
Equipment: 5 light machine guns
300 rifles

3 Regiment
Commander TSENG Chih-yun (曾志雲)
Location: Lohu (縣江) and Chihfutang (致富塘) in Moyuan
Strength: 300
Equipment: 3 light machine guns
200 rifles
30 pistols

4 Regiment
Commander HUANG Piao (黃彪)
Location: In the area of Changpu (長浦) and Wenhsitang (溫秀塘) border region of Moyuan, Lungchuan, and Wuhua (五華).
Strength: 500
Equipment: 1 heavy machine gun
14 light machine guns
400 rifles
60 pistols

5 Regiment
Commander HUANG Hsu (黃旭)
Location: In the area of Chetien (車田), border of Heping and Lungchuan.
Strength: 250
Equipment: 8 light machine guns
150 rifles
30 pistols

6 Regiment
Location: In the area of Kuchai (古寨) in Heping

7 Regiment
Commander WEI Lin-chi (魏麟基)
Location: In the area of Tengta (燈塔), Faichi (白溪), Huangtuling (黃土嶺), Kuangtung (廣東堤), and Kaokeng (高坑) in Moyuan
Strength: 570
Equipment: 5 mortar
2 heavy machine guns
3 light machine guns
200 rifles
40 pistols

East River 3 Detachment
Commander HUANG Po (黃柏)
Deputy Commander WANG Hsun-ta (王漢宏)

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Political Commissioner

Political Director

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

HUANG Chuang-ping (黃莊平)

CHEN Li-chung (陳李中)

In the area of Pingling (平陵), Kungchuang (公莊), Hochiatien (何家田) in the border region of Moyuan, Polo (博羅) and Lungchuan.

500

2 mortar

1 heavy machine gun

16 light machine guns

345 rifles

80 pistols

1 Regiment

2 Regiment

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

LI Shao-tsung (李紹宗)

Huangsha (黃沙山), Fenghuangshan (鳳凰山),

Tutien (都田), Shihma (石馬), Wenchingyao

(文達埕), Nanlunshan (南崑山) in Tseng-cheng (增城)

800

24 light machine guns

430 rifles

104 pistols

3 Regiment

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

TSENG Kuang (曾光)

Hochiatien (何家田) and Fachuang (發莊) in Polo, and Puchien (浦前) in Moyuan.

700

2 heavy machine guns

25 light machine guns

420 rifles

80 pistols

4 Regiment

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

CHIU Sung-hsiao (丘松學)

Ma Ta (馬達)

In the area of Tinai (地派), Lantien (藍田), in Lungmen (龍門).

530

12 light machine guns

250 rifles

50 pistols

2 grenade dischargers

Chuan Pei Battalion

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

LO Yao (駱堯)

In the area of Yashachang (牙沙嶂) in Lungchuan.

200

1 light machine gun

120 rifles

20 pistols

Magistrate of Moyuanhsien (河源縣): HUANG Chung-chiang (黃中強).

Magistrate of Hepinghsien (和平縣): LO Wei-chiang (駱維強).

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

Chingchou (青洲) and Shanghsia, Shantang (山塘) in Heping

370

140 rifles

10 pistols

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Defected Regiment**Commander**

TSENG Tien-chi (曾天節)

Location:

Laolung (老隆) in Luagchuan (龍川).

Strength:

700

North River 1 Detachment (北江第一支隊)**Commander**

HO Chun-tsai (何俊才)

Deputy Commander

HUANG Tung-hua (黃桐華)

Location:

Border region of Yingde (英德), Fukang (佛崗), Hsinfeng (新豐), and Wengyuan (翁源).

Strength:

3,000

Equipment:

3 mortar

40 light machine guns

1,500 rifles

1 Regiment**Commander**

LUNG Chin-sheng (龍景生)

Location:

Hsinfeng and Fukang

Strength:

400

Equipment:

8 light machine guns

200 rifles

2 Regiment**Commander**

CHEN Pei (陳培)

Location:

Yingde and Fukang

Strength:

400

Equipment:

8 light machine guns

200 rifles

3 Regiment**Commander**

LIANG Szu-yuan (梁泗源)

Location:

Wengyuan and Hsinfeng

Strength:

400

Equipment:

9 light machine guns

150 rifles

50 pistols

4 Regiment**Commander**

TANG Sheng (湯生)

Location:

Wengyuan and Yingde

Strength:

400

Equipment:

7 light machine guns

300 rifles

Main Strength Regiment (主力團)**Commander**

TU Kuo-tung (杜國棟)

Location:

Active in North River area.

Strength:

900

Equipment:

24 light machine guns

350 rifles

50 pistols

Ying Xsi People's Anti-Taxation Unit (英西人民抗征隊).**Commander**

LI Chung (李冲)

Location:

Chingyuan (清遠) and Yingde (英德)

Strength:

1,000

Equipment:

12 light machine guns

350 rifles

50 pistols

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Ta Tui Chang (大隊長)

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

HUANG Shih-pei (黃式培)

Chingyuan and Yingte

300

4 light machine guns

120 rifles

Ta Tui Chang

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

LO Pa (羅發)

Yingte and Szuhui (四會)

300

4 light machine guns

190 rifles

Ta Tui Chang

Commander

Location:

Strength:

Equipment:

HUANG Man-chiang (黃漫江)

Kuangning (廣寧) and Yingte.

300

3 light machine guns

190 rifles

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